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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

SEKI, et al.

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For: ORGANIC EL ELEMENT  
MANUFACTURING PROCESS AND  
ORGANIC EL ELEMENT

Art Unit: 1762

Examiner: Cleveland, M.

AMENDMENTCommissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated December 26, 2001, the period for reply to which has been extended two months to May 28, 2002 (the first business day following May 26, 2002), please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please replace the text of claims 37, 56, 62, and 63 with the following text:

37. (Twice Amended) A manufacturing process for an organic EL element having a stacked structure including a hole injecting and transporting layer and a light-emitting layer formed within a partitioning member which is divided into individual pixel areas, the method comprising:

forming the partitioning member on [a] the substrate, the partitioning member having openings corresponding to pixel areas;

independently filling each of the openings with a composition for the hole injecting and transporting layer using an ink-jet recording head, the composition

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